The adsorbent structure of claim 3, wherein the 10. composition comprises (a) zeolite loaded with a noble metal and (b) a heat-resistant oxide loaded with a noble metal.--

REMARKS

Claims 1-6, 9 and 10 are pending herein. Claims 7 and 8 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claim 1 has been amended hereby. Claims 9 and 10 have been added hereby.

Prompt and favorable consideration on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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